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Dear Mr. Messing:

This is in reply to your letter to President Clinton regarding the Notice of Proposed Rule Making (Notice) in PR Docket No. 92-235, 57 FR 54034 (1992). This Notice proposes comprehensive changes to the Commission's Rules governing the private land mobile radio services operating in the frequency bands below 512 MHz.

You are specifically concerned about the impact of these changes on radio control (R/C) hobby users. Enclosed is a discussion paper concerning our proposals for the 72-76 MHz band. In short, we expect there would be no adverse impact on R/C operations because of any proposal contained in the Notice.

We are, of course, sensitive to the concerns of both users of private land mobile radio spectrum and R/C hobbyists. We will, therefore, take your concerns into account when we develop final rules in this proceeding. As indicated in the Notice, we remain convinced that without significant regulatory change in radio operations in the bands below 512 MHz, the quality of communications in the private land mobile radio services will continue to deteriorate to the point of endangering public safety and the national economy.

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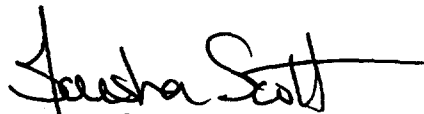
Dear Mr. Messing:

Thank you so much for your letter. President Clinton greatly appreciates the trust and confidence you have expressed in him by writing.

To give your concerns the special attention they deserve, the President has asked me to forward your letter to the Federal Communications Commission. I have asked them to provide you with a prompt reply, but please bear in mind that it may take several weeks to look thoroughly into the concerns you have raised. Should you have any questions after reviewing their response to you, you may write: Federal Communications Commission, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

Many thanks for your patience.

Sincerely,



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and Director of Presidential
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Mr. President:

HELP US

Allen I Messing
I am one of several Hundred thousand hobbyists as well as one of several thousand manufacturers active in the Radio Control Car, Aircraft and Boat Industry in the United States.

During the last quarter of 1992 the Federal Communications Commission initiated an action that directly affects all of us. **NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING (NPRM) IN PR DOCK 92-235 REPLACING RULE 90 WITH RULE 88.**

The protected use under rule 90 of eighty radio control frequencies enabled the hobby industry and the hobbyists to regulate the safe usage of R.C. Aircraft, Boats and Cars. Under Rule 88 that the F.C.C. proposes, New mobile users will be granted frequencies that overlap and jam 50% of the existing hobby frequencies.

THE RESULT WILL MAKE R.C. PLANES, BOATS AND CARS UNSAFE VEHICLES OF DESTRUCTION AND BODILY HARM. THIS WILL HAVE A DEVASTATING EFFECT ON THE HOBBY AND DESTROY A BILLION DOLLAR A YEAR INDUSTRY.

We have invested billions of dollars in our hobby, spent millions of recreational hours with our family and friends to complete the building and preping of our planes, boats and cars for use and now we will be expected to play Russian Roulette with all our efforts.

The jamming of 50% of our using frequencies will have the same result as a thousand batteries of Patriot Missles shooting down our R.C. Aircraft, wrecking our R.C. Cars, deep sixing our R.C. Boats and bombing out our manufacturing facilities.

WE HAVE NO DEFENSE AGAINST THIS TYPE OF ATTACK.

It is my sincere hope that the office of the President will aid us in our efforts to stop the F.C.C. and the special interests that propose this bill.

Our deadline for response to the F.C.C. is February 28, 1993.

Respectfully,

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